

THREE BOCHÉ PLANES FALL VICTIMS TO THE FRENCH IN DUEL WATCHED BY THOUSANDS

One of Most Exciting Aerial Encounters of War Staged at Verdun.

OLDIERS ARE SPECTATORS

American Army Observers Working With French Fliers Are Increasing In Number But Information Is Withheld; General War News.

By Associated Press. WITH THE FRENCH ARMY, Jan. 21.—Thousands of soldiers in the vicinity of Verdun Saturday witnessed a most exciting air fight which ended in the destruction of three German machines. In the afternoon of the first night for weeks a squadron of six enemy machines appeared above the ruins of Verdun. While a barrage from the French artillery retarded them three French chasing machines ascended in an endeavor to attack the retreat.

One of the enemy fliers attacked a French observation balloon which it hit on fire. The occupant of the balloon dropped in safety in a parachute.

One of the French chasers caught its machine under his machine's guns and sent it crashing to the ground. Then the same Frenchman pursued a German and a sharp fight which there was much clever maneuvering sent down another victim. An hour later the same squadron of French airmen destroyed the third German machine. Sunday morning a fourth enemy airmen met his end in the course of a combat with a French pilot at a short distance from the same spot.

LAIDS ON TYRES

SECTOR ARE REPULSED LONDON, Jan. 22.—Attempted enemy raids last night east of Tyne were repulsed, the war office reports. Otherwise the night was quiet on the whole front.

AMERICAN OBSERVERS

ARE DOING THEIR BIT. WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Jan. 22.—More American observers have begun work at the front with French pilots in French airplanes. It is inadvisable to mention their numbers or identities, or the points at which they are stationed.

"STARS AND STRIPES" IS NEW SOLDIERS' PAPER.

PARIS, Jan. 22.—A weekly newspaper for the American troops in France to be called the "Stars and Stripes" will be issued shortly. It has the sanction of General Pershing. It will be directed and edited by men wearing the American uniform.

RED GUARD SEARCHES FOR MINISTERS' MURDERERS.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 22.—Premier Lenine and Secretary of State Vonn-Burevitch have ordered the Red Guard and soldiers to comb the city for the motor car with Red Guard and soldiers who killed Shingarov and Koschkin. The murder of the former ministers has created a feeling of protest and revolution among the Bolshevik officials who are anxious to prevent the situation from getting beyond their control.

AMERICAN CORPORAL IS KILLED IN ACTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—General Pershing today reported Corporal Robert Roberts killed in action January 20. No details of the engagement were given. His mother, Mrs. Kate Roberts, lives at Hartington, Wash. General Pershing also reported the death of Corporal Frank L. Rossman, R. F. D. No. 1, Freeport, Pa., in a railroad accident and six others from pneumonia.

Tour Meeting Tonight.

A Sunday school tour meeting will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the Methodist Protestant church. Addresses will be made by President D. M. Hertzog and Secretary J. R. Forsythe of the Fayette County Sunday School Association.

ENGINEERS SING "PEACE ON EARTH" WITH PICK AND SHOVEL

Francis Wright, advertising manager of Wright-Metzler company, has received a copy of the Christmas number of The "Oo La La" Times, a newspaper published by the 17th United States Engineers (Railway) of which Roscoe A. Wright is a member. This is an interesting publication of six pages, bearing the date line, "Somewhere in France," and is filled with news items of the happenings in the several companies of the regiment.

A Christmas message from the regimental chaplain, Henry Russell Talbot, reminds the men that "We as soldiers and engineers are singing the song: 'Peace on earth, to men of good will,' with pick and shovel, with brain and brawn. We sing that song with our faces toward the enemy. They must learn it. And we will keep on humming it to ourselves." The plans for a Christmas treat to

CHILDREN CONTRIBUTE

Fund of \$3.75 Received by Red Cross From Narrows. The Connellsville Red Cross Chapter received a donation of \$3.75 from the pupils of room No. 2 of the Narrows school, of which Miss Pauline McDonald is teacher. The children contributing toward the fund are as follows: Bertha Coughenour, Anna Kati Kopf, Barbara Schultz, Frieda Lelesch, Helen Blosky, Bessie Hrabak, Margaret Brindlinger, Margaret Hart, Matthew Hart, John Hrabak, John Bogdousky, Charles Vishinsky and Harry Stafford.

PRICE LIMITS ARE AGREED UPON AT FOOD CONFERENCE

Scale to Be Announced Weekly From Office of District Administrator.

FRESH EGGS ARE 75 CENTS

Better Ranges From 60 Cents Up; Flour to Sell at \$1.50 to \$1.50 Depending on Whether It Is Made of Spring or Winter Wheat; Others.

At a meeting of a committee of grocers from Connellsville, Brownsville and Uniontown at Uniontown yesterday, with Charles L. Davidson, federal food administrator for Fayette county, a scale of what were considered fair prices were fixed for stores throughout the county. They are the maximum at which the groceries may be sold in this county and merchants who charge more than the amounts decided on will be prosecuted by the food administration.

In order to bring prices down the food administrator calls on the people of the county to patronize grocers who are governed by the prices agreed on. The prices of potatoes is set at 34 cents to 35 cents a pound, which is a little more than \$2.10 a bushel. Sugar is rated at between nine and 10 cents a pound, with flour selling at \$1.50 to \$1.50, depending on whether it is made of spring or winter wheat. Other prices fixed on by Food Administrator Davidson and the committee of eight men follows:

Fresh eggs, 75c; storage eggs, 65c; creamery butter in tubs, 60c to 65c per pound; creamery butter in cartons, one cent extra; lard 32 to 35 cents per pound; beans (white navy), 18 to 20 cents per pound; beans (California lima), 18 to 20 cents per pound; condensed milk, (unsweetened), tall cans, 15 to 18 cents; condensed milk, (unsweetened), baby cans, seven to eight cents; condensed milk, (sweetened), Eagle Brand, 25 cents; prunes, 15 to 20 cents per pound; flour (spring wheat) one-eighth barrel, \$1.85 to \$1.90; flour (straight winter wheat), one-eighth barrel, \$1.50; rye flour, six cents per pound; corn meal, six to seven cents per pound; rice, 12 1/2 to 15 cents per pound; rolled oats, 12 to 13 cents a package; corn syrup, 1 1/2 pound can, 15 to 18 cents.

The committee will meet every Monday with Mr. Davidson to fix prices for the following week and they will be published each Tuesday.

EDDIE PLANK TRADED.

Goes to New York Americans With Second Baseman Pratt.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—Eddie Plank, veteran pitcher, and Derrill Pratt, second baseman, were traded to the New York Americans by the St. Louis Americans today for five players and cash. The New York club gave in exchange Pitchers Shocker and Collop, Catcher Nunmaker and Infielders Meisel and Glendon. The cash consideration is not stated.

FINDING OF OPENED MAIL POUCH LEADS TO ROBBERY DISCOVERY

Letters Are Scattered About But the Value of the Contents is Not Known Here.

An exchange pouch of mail, to be transferred from Baltimore & Ohio train No. 16 to Train No. 15, was stolen from a truck on the platform of the Baltimore Ohio station here Sunday night. The pouch was discovered yesterday under a freight car below the station. It had been cut with a knife, literally into shreds. What the loss, literally amount to could not be determined by postoffice authorities here as they had no knowledge of anything that was in the bag.

Letters ripped open and thrown away were found scattered about in the back streets leading from the railroad station. The robbery was reported to City Detective J. W. Mitchell. The robbery was not discovered until yesterday afternoon when the destroyed bag was found and later the letters were picked up. The bag had been thrown off train No. 16 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon to be returned on No. 15 at 4.35 o'clock. No. 15, the west bound train, carried no mail car on Sunday and the pouch had to be held for train No. 5. The robbery occurred between 5 o'clock Sunday night and 1.50 o'clock Monday morning.

The thieves evidently did not go far from the station before opening the bag to divide the spoils. The cut mail bag shows that they hid in the shadows of the bog cars lined up near the freight station.

CRAY NEW HEAD OF INDIAN CREEK ROAD; HOOD VICE PRESIDENT

Re-organization Effected at Meeting of Stockholders Yesterday; Zimmerman in Control.

At a meeting yesterday of the stockholders of the Indian Creek Valley Railroad company, James R. Cray, of Uniontown, was elected president succeeding Charles F. Hood, builder of the road and its president since it began operations. Mr. Hood was chosen vice-president; J. J. Dougherty, treasurer and general manager, and D. W. McDonald, of Uniontown, secretary. These men with Sam F. Hood, Joseph Hood, C. D. Schell and G. W. Campbell, of Connellsville, and Joseph W. Ray, of Uniontown, comprise the board of directors.

The control of the road some time ago passed to D. E. Zimmerman of Somerset.

ROBBERS GET \$60,000

Detroit Store Loaded of Great Quantity of Diamonds and Jewelry.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 22.—Three bandits entered the jewelry store of Ralph Dewey, in the downtown district this forenoon, bound W. Granger, the manager, and escaped with valuables said to be worth \$60,000. According to the police the robbery had been carefully planned. A clerk who usually reported for duty at the jewelry store before 9 o'clock received a telephone call at his home this morning telling him that he need not go to work until noon. The clerk told the police he thought the store would be opened at noon to obey the fuel administration order.

No customers were in the store when the bandits entered. The manager was overpowered, beaten and dragged into a back room. The bandits got away with diamonds, cash and jewelry.

ASK U. S. CONTROL

Chicago Packing House Employees Demand It in Fairness to All.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The demand of Chicago packing house employees for government control of the meat industry during the war was broadened today to include all the packing plants of the United States. It was made clear at the outset of hearing before the President's mediation commission that the employees believed the question to be one of national necessity and not merely a local dispute between the Chicago plants and their workers.

"It is absurd for a group of six companies to control the food supply of the United States and the Allies," Frank P. Walsh, attorney for the workers, told the commission.

KURTZ ELECTED DIRECTOR.

Local Man Is Also Made First Vice President of Millboro Bank.

J. Fred Kurtz, president of the Champion Gas Coal company with mines at Besco was last night elected a director and first vice president of the First National Bank of Millboro, Pa.

Although Mr. Kurtz has been engaged largely in coal interests in this city and other business enterprises, his directorship in the Millboro institution is his first venture in banking interests.

Four Minute Talks.

Four minute talks by local lawyers and others in the theatres of the city will be resumed on Thursday evening according to announcement made today by Secretary J. Kirk Renner of the local Four Minute Men's Organization.

LULL IN INDUSTRY SAVES WEST PENN 2,000 TONS COAL

This is But One Result of Administration Order Conserving Fuel.

HEATLESS DAY A SUCCESS

No Violations of Ruling Reported in Connellsville. Uncertainties to Be Cleared at Meeting of Committee in Uniontown on Friday Afternoon.

Connellsville's first "heatless Monday" having passed off with an unexpected degree of success, merchants are resuming the even tenor of their ways today. Whatever uncertainties there is regarding various rulings are expected to be cleared up at the meeting of the Fayette County Fuel Committee which will be held in Uniontown next Friday morning.

Some amendments to the rulings in effect yesterday may be anticipated. The rulings as to drug stores are still confused. Fuel Administrator Kuhns of the Pittsburgh district permitted drug stores to sell any products they ordinarily handle. In Philadelphia State Fuel Administrator William Potter, under whose orders the county committee works, ruled that only drugs and medical supplies might be sold. Yesterday the Kuhns ruling prevailed in Fayette.

Those who have been inclined to scoff at the Fuel Administration's general closing order will probably be surprised to learn that the five day lay-off of manufacturing plants enabled the West Penn power plant to save at least 2,000 tons of coal. The layoff had an even more important effect in that it permitted repairs to certain portions of the machinery which have not been touched for a period of four years, and which could not have been repaired so long as the plant operated under normal load.

An official of the West Penn declared that the repairs made possible by the five-day lay-off have probably saved the region from serious inconvenience through a breakdown. The almost unparalleled severity of the weather prevented any appreciable saving in gas, but had the weather been near normal, the gas company would have been able to save many thousands of feet of this fuel.

FILES ANSWER.

Mrs. Gray Denies Charges of Husband in Divorce Proceedings.

Mrs. Margaret Gray, of Connellsville, has had an answer filed in the divorce suit recently brought against her by Jeremiah Gray, her husband. She denies that any of the charges of cruel and barbarous treatment, indignities, infidelity, etc., are true. She desires to pursue the matter in her own behalf and to that end a rule has been granted on the libellant to show cause why he should not pay \$2500 defense fees to enable her to properly defend the action. She avers that libellant is making approximately \$1,800 a year.

LOAN OF FIELD GLASSES.

Asked By the Navy; A Connellsville Merchant Warmly Thanked.

Attractive posters are being distributed in the city today by George S. Connell, executive secretary of the Fayette county committee of public safety, asking the owners of binoculars and other type of field glasses to loan them to the Navy during the war. W. N. Leche, the Crawford avenue merchant, some days ago sent a fine pair of binoculars in response to this request and has received a very cordial and appreciative letter from Frank D. Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy in acknowledgment.

PROBATION OFFICER.

Is Provided Under Ordinance Introduced in City Council.

Provision for a probation officer at a salary of \$80 per month is made in an ordinance introduced in council last evening. The measure will be up for action next Monday night. The officer will work under the direction of the mayor. The salary of Chief W. E. DeBolt of the fire department, is to be increased to \$110 per month and salaries of firemen to \$90 under another ordinance introduced. Ordinances providing for increases for the members of the police force and others, introduced on January 14, were adopted.

Looking For Violators.

State Factory Inspector Barr is now covering Connellsville to see that all plants are not in operation except those that are exempt.

Weather Forecast

Local snows and somewhat colder; Wednesday fair except snow near Lake Erie in the noon weather; forecast for Western Pennsylvania. Temperature Record.

1918	1917
Maximum	26. 00
Minimum	4. 38
Mean	15. 49

The Young river fell during the night from 1.50 feet to 1.45 feet.

BOY COASTER LOSES LIFE ON CROSSING AT MORGAN STATION

Skull is Crushed in Collision With Automobile Driven by Mount Pleasant Druggist.

Coasting down the road from Pennsville to Morgan last evening, Allen McCoy, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McCoy of Morgan, was struck by an automobile on the crossing of the Connellsville-Scottsdale road near Morgan and so badly injured that he died on the way to the Mount Pleasant hospital. His skull was crushed. The occupants of the car, L. E. Hall, manager of the National Pharmacy at Mount Pleasant, and Walter Freed, also of that place, had been to Connellsville and were returning about 5.30 o'clock.

The boy was taken into the car, Martin Hogue, a witness of the accident, holding him in his arms during the run for the hospital. The child died near the Bessemer farm. The remains were taken to Zimmerman's morgue at Mount Pleasant. This morning Undertaker J. L. Stader of Connellsville, went to Mount Pleasant after the body. The funeral will be on Thursday.

RECRUITING OFFICE

FAILS TO AID IN SECURING MECHANICS

Difficulty Has Been Referred to the War Department But No Action Is Yet Taken.

Efforts to recruit men from Fayette county for the Motor Mechanics Regiment of the Aviation Section of the Army will be discussed at a meeting of the committee on civilian service and labor of the Committee of Public Safety in room 310, First National Bank building at 7.30 tonight. The county quota of 35 men must be raised by February 1.

Army recruiting officers of this section have not been cooperating with the committee in its effort to secure recruits. The fact that applicants were rejected by the sergeant in charge of this recruiting office in Uniontown was taken up with the Director of the United States Public Service Reserve in Philadelphia, who, in turn, took the matter up with the War Department. Nothing further has been heard.

Having attended the first heatless Monday without suffering anything more serious than the "telephone ear" Mr. Connell put aside temporarily his duties as member of the county fuel committee in the hope that until the latter part of the week at least, there would be no further rush of inquiries.

NEGRO ARRESTED

Supposed to Have Been Man Who Fired on City Patrolmen.

A negro arrested on suspicion was given 24 hours by Mayor John Duggan this morning, a gun being found on him after his arrest. The negro was picked up following a raid on the coke ovens by Patrolmen Thomas and Turner. The two cops went to Davidson last night and two negroes, seeing the officers approaching, ran in the opposite direction. They fired at the policemen, shooting five times.

The negroes got away in the darkness but another man on the coke ovens gave the officers their description. A man similarly dressed was later arrested in the business section and when taken to the city hall a revolver was found on him. Questioning proved however that he was not the man who had been in the ovens. He was held on a charge of carrying concealed weapons.

WAS SURETY, NOT MAKER

Of Note on Which Suit is Brought, Says Mrs. White in Defense.

Mrs. Caroline White of Connellsville, who is defendant in an action to recover on a promissory note signed by her January 8, 1913, and payable to the order of O. H. Finnick, has filed an affidavit of defense admitting the execution of the note, but denying that she is indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of \$7,045.00, with interest. At the time of execution and delivery of the note Mrs. White was the wife of the late John C. White, and says that she signed the note as surety only and received no benefits or consideration therefrom.

LOST AT SEA.

Brother of Former Assemblyman Lynch Thought to Have Gone Down on Ship.

Wade Lynch, aged 27, brother of former assemblyman Tony R. Lynch of Republic, is reported by the English admiralty as one of the "unaccounted for" passengers on the merchant steamer Umpire which sailed from Liverpool on December 1 and was lost at sea.

Young Lynch served in the United States army but went to England seven years ago where he married.

Colonel Thomas Hure, Colonel Robert Thomas, Engineers corps, U. S. A., stationed at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., arrived here Sunday night to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Edward Hayes Marshall. Mr. Marshall's son, Sergeant John W. Marshall, 33rd Engineers, stationed near Washington, D. C., was unable to attend the funeral on account of being under quarantine.

CITY BUDGET FOR YEAR 1918 AMOUNTS TO \$98,940; EXCESS OF \$2,970 OVER LAST YEAR

BRICK PLANTS OPERATE. Fuel Order Does Not Interfere With Local Output.

D. W. Kuhn, Pittsburgh fuel administrator, yesterday issued a ruling that manufacturers of silica and other brick necessary for blast and open hearth furnaces and for other uses in plants exempted from the order, are exempt, and may use fuel and power any day in the week. The Harbison Walker plant at Layton, was the only plant in this section operating Monday. The Joseph Soisson Firebrick company did not receive notice in time to operate on that day.

SNOW THREATENS TO PLAY HAVOC WITH FUEL PLAN

Tieup of Railroads in East is Again in Prospect Because of General Snowfall.

GARFIELD MUCH WORRIED

But Washington Official Declares He Is Not Going to Cross Bridge Until He Comes to It; All Chicago Schools Are Closed Because of Lack of Coal.

By Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Snow was falling today throughout the eastern half of the country north of Georgia and promised to tie up the country's transportation system as bad as it was before the beginning of the five day industrial shutdown designed to aid the railways in clearing their lines of congested traffic and to place coal in communities suffering from the severe cold.

Weather bureau officials said the snow would continue tonight. Large supplies of coal were flowing freely to eastern householders and transatlantic shipping interests today. As the result of the fuel administration closing order but clearing of the railroad congestion still was hampered by unfavorable weather. "We will not cross the bridge until we come to it," said Dr. Garfield. "There will still be the nine remaining Monday holidays. Results of the operations of the closing order have been fully up to our expectations insofar as the weather permitted."

SCHOOLS CLOSED IN CHICAGO BECAUSE OF NO FUEL

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—All parochial and private schools of Chicago were closed today until next Monday while grade public schools closed for a week, and scheduled for reopening tomorrow will remain closed until Monday on account of the fuel shortage. High schools alone will remain open.

DERENCIN QUILTS

Council Working on Another Plan for Garbage Removal.

M. Derencin, who has been handling the garbage removal under contract with the city, served notice on city council last evening that he will positively retire from the business on January 31. Mayor John Duggan named a committee composed of Councilmen M. B. Pryce, R. W. Hoover and C. W. Utts and Clerk A. O. Bixler to make settlement with him. Councilman Utts is working on a new scheme for incineration of garbage at some nearer point than the present furnace which is out of commission. Types of incinerators are under investigation. A report on some concrete plan for solving the perplexing problem is expected to be made to council at an early date.

Dies in Ohio.

Mayor John Duggan was notified last evening of the death at Fremont, Ohio, of Filmore Younk of Connellsville. Efforts to locate relatives were under way today.

RAISE FUND HERE TO CURB MEN WHO PREY ON SOLDIERS IN CAMP

In nearly all cities located near camps, said Mr. Alger, the public is galled by men, principally of the foreign element, who have flocked there in large numbers in the hope of getting rich quick. They charge outrageous prices Mr. Alger said. An orphan meal takes a soldier's entire day's pay and the food is unfit to eat. Culinary operations in these places are conducted without thought of cleanliness, he asserted. City and federal authorities seem unable to reach the sharks and it has been left to the public to act. Each camp will be provided with a list of proprietors who will agree to be fair and a list of those who will not.

Donbar's Total. The total of the K. of C. War Fund contributed from Donbar was \$1,068.70 instead of \$985.70 as published.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Connellsville Day was observed at the semi-monthly meeting of the Woman's Culture club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. P. Clark in Lincoln avenue. On calling the roll members of the club responded by naming one of the ex-burgesses of Connellsville. Mrs. P. N. Sherrick was leader. A program of unusual excellence was rendered and the meeting was one of the best held for some time. Interesting papers were read as follows: "Historical Connellsville," Mrs. John M. Young; "Military Connellsville," Mrs. George Marietta; "Story of the Bridges and the men who kept them," Mrs. Edna Johnston Brandel. Two vocal solos sang by Miss Elizabeth Mae Brown in her usual excellent manner, were greatly enjoyed. Mrs. W. O. Schouder, chairman of the committee in charge of the sale of Red Cross seals reported the sale of the entire allotment, \$9,000, amounting to \$900. There was also an excess fund of \$3112. A size of \$10 awarded for the largest amount of seals sold, was captured by the seventh grade, the school's disposing of seals amounting to \$17.25. The committee also sold 670 seals for the committee from Uniontown. Miss Lang of State college will give a demonstration of cereals, grains, meats and their substitutes, and care and repairs of clothing, Monday, Feb. 11, in Connellsville. It was reported that the club had paid the expenses for the care of two patients at Creson.

The Tuesday Music club program will be presented Thursday night at the high school auditorium. The meeting is an open one and the public is invited. No admission. It will be charged. The program to be presented by Hubert Conover, cellist, and Miss Henrietta Meyer, of Pittsburg, is as follows: "Humoresque," Rachmaninoff and "Caprice," Paderewski, Miss Meyer; "Polonaise in D Minor," Popper, Mr. Conover; "Rhapsody in B Minor," Brahms, Miss Meyer; "On the Lake," Godard, Mr. Conover; "Shepherd's Hey," Grainger, "Caprice No. 6," Arensky, and "The Contrabandist," Tausig, Miss Meyer; "Oriental Cui," Romaine, Debussy, "Vito," Popper, and "Bourree," Squire, Mr. Conover.

The weekly meeting of the Business Women's Christian Association will be held Thursday evening in Old Fellows temple in South Pittsburg street. Following the meeting the remainder of the evening will be spent at sewing for the Red Cross.

A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Loutye Kinsbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kinsbury, and Julius H. Harris, solemnized Sunday afternoon at the Scheelen hotel, Pittsburg, the ceremony, which was performed in the blue room, was followed by a prettily appointed wedding dinner served in the private dining room of the hotel. Covers for ten were laid. The table held a heart-shaped centerpiece of American beauty roses. Mr. and Mrs. Harris left for a wedding trip to Philadelphia, Atlantic City and New York.

The cabinet of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church, will meet tonight at the home of Miss Gertrude Lindsay in East Green street.

The H. H. N. class of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday school, will meet Monday night at the home of Mrs. W. T. Mair in North Pittsburg street.

Invitations have been issued by Postmaster W. D. McGinnis to 50 bankers of Fayette and Westmoreland counties for a dinner to be given by him at the Arlington hotel at 7 o'clock Tuesday, January 29. Harrison Nesbitt, president of the Bank of Pittsburg, will address the bankers along lines of interest to them in regard to the war.

The Daughters of Isabella will meet tonight in the Parochial school auditorium.

Mrs. Clarence Port gave a 7 o'clock dinner last evening at her home in Lincoln avenue in honor of the third wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Lewis. Covers for 10 were laid. A charming pink and white color scheme predominated.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the Valentine party to be given Wednesday evening, February 6, in Old Fellows' temple, South Pittsburg street, under the auspices of the Woman's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. C. E. Stout in West Apple street. Arrangements for a delightful musical program were made. Soloists from Pittsburg, Uniontown and several local singers of prominence will participate in the program. There will also be a fortune teller. Rev. Albert N. Slayton of St. Peter's Episcopal church, Uniontown, will be master of ceremonies.

Evangelist Nairn will preach tonight on "The Worst Thing in Connellsville." When he asked what that was someone suggested "booze" and someone else "passion." "Come and see," was his reply. This afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Nairn gave a talk on "Characteristics of a Winning Church." His Wednesday afternoon talk will be on "The Power of Prayer."

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GOVERNMENT TO APPEAL IN ALL CASES WHERE MEN WED TO ESCAPE DRAFT

Purpose to Insure Uniform Decisions Rather Than to Deny Exemption; Men 18 to 62 to be Registered.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Government agents have been instructed to appeal all cases where local draft boards have granted deferred classification to either class two or four on account of marriage since the draft law was enacted, May 18, 1917.

The provost marshal general's office stated that the order for appeals did not indicate any general policy to deny exemption to men who married after the draft law was enacted, but was to insure uniform decisions, considering each case on its merits. Obviously "where it is shown that a man married to acquire a claim of dependency, his claim will be denied."

A bill authorizing the President to order the registration and drafting of all men between 18 and 62 to be used in the conduct of industries necessary for the war was provided in a bill introduced today by Senator McCumber and referred to the military committee.

ANOTHER CLASS

In Surgical Dressings Formed to Work at Red Cross Headquarters.

Another class in the surgical bandage and dressings department of the Red Cross was organized last night with a membership of 14 as follows:

Mrs. H. George May, president; Mrs. J. M. Young, Miss Della Hoop, Miss Mary Armstrong, Mrs. Edna Johnston, Miss Julia Lowner, Mrs. H. J. Coll, Miss Anna Lowmyer, Miss Anna O'Connor, Miss Elizabeth Mahon, Miss Claire Dixon, Mrs. J. D. Porter and Mrs. J. Kirk Renner. Miss Rebecca Sauer will serve as instructor.

This class will meet on Monday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Six more members are admitted to this class to bring it up to the limit of membership prescribed by the regulations.

Another class will be formed to meet on Tuesday evenings as soon as a sufficient number of members have been secured.

A large delegation of young women from the bottling department of the Broadford distillery were present at the work rooms of the sewing department of the Red Cross yesterday, that being their second visit. This company of workers provided an interesting diversion for the instructors.

Being found that very few of the young ladies had every received training in the elementary lessons of sewing by hand.

"OVER THERE" TODAY

Picture Play at Paramount For Navy League Luncheon.

"Over There," a big patriotic war drama which is being shown today at the Paramount for the benefit of the Navy League, is a late release and is available for its scenes, which take rank with the very best produced outside of the actual fighting lines.

The battle scenes of this picture are unusually intensive and the construction of the trench system unusually expensive.

Anna G. Nilsson, co-starring with Charles Richmond in this wonderful drama, had all the thrills and dangers of real ambulance driving when she undertook to rush a Red Cross machine through No. Man's Land of "Over There." Miss Nilsson plays the part of a war nurse and was required to drive her car of wounded down a rutted road which was being shelled by the Germans.

"Over There" has a purpose and is happily free from mawkish sentiment.

Included in the cast is Gertrude Berkeley who won renown in the role of the mother in "War Brides." The price of admission is 25 cents. The expenses of the picture are paid by Edwin S. Porter, for whom the Connellsville Navy League is named. Manager C. A. Wagner is donating the use of the theatre.

VANDERBILT RED CROSS

Meeting Tomorrow at Headquarters For Sewing.

A meeting of the Vanderbilt Red Cross will be held tomorrow afternoon in the Red Cross headquarters in the W. J. Ralston store building. The room is comfortably heated and affords every convenience for the sewers. Miss Grace Moore, who recently received a new knitting machine will have it ready for operation and expects to turn out quite a number of pairs of socks for the soldiers in the near future.

All ladies interested in the work are requested to attend, bringing their lunch with them. The Vanderbilt women are doing splendid work for the Red Cross, but there is still a greater need for more helpers.

TEN MILL INCREASE

In Connellsville Township Road Taxes Authorized.

On petition of the road supervisors an order was made in court in Uniontown this morning authorizing an increase in the tax levy for 1918 from four mills to 14 mills.

The increase is necessary, the petition set forth to make the roads reasonably safe and because of advanced cost of labor and materials. The supervisors are W. J. Stillwagon, Lloyd J. Stillwagon and Philip Stinger.

Bank Sale Postponed.

By agreement of counsel the sale of the First National Bank, Uniontown, was today postponed until February 16.

COLDS
Head or chest—ache best treated "externally."
VICK'S VAPORUB



Her Grandmother Used Sage Tea to Darken Her Hair.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded, or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application, or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful. This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

The Grim Reaper

MRS. STEPHEN O'LAUGHLIN.

The funeral of Mrs. Stephen O'Laughlin was held this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the family residence at Leisenring No. 1 and at 9 o'clock from St. Vincent de Paul's church at Leisenring. Requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Canova in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the deceased. Interment in St. Vincent de Paul's cemetery.

ELLSWORTH JOHNSON.

Ellsworth Johnson, 52 years old, died yesterday at his home at Smithfield following an illness of about 11 years. Deceased is survived by his widow, one sister, Mrs. Mattie Kaufman of Ache Junction, and the following brothers: Solomon S., of Ohio; Ira of Philadelphia; Leslie of Wilkinsburg and Louis of New York.

EDWARD HAYES MARSHALL.

Rev. Wilbur Nelson, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the funeral of Edward Hayes Marshall, held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence in the Colonial apartments, South Pittsburg street. The services were impressive and were largely attended. The Connellsville Masons had charge of the funeral with the following members of the lodge serving as pallbearers: Charles Stouffer, G. E. Albrecht, J. C. Moore, Otis Carpenter, S. G. Zimmerman and C. H. Knefel. There were a number of handsome floral tributes.

MRS. MARY A. WHITNEY.

Mrs. Mary A. Whitney, 30 years old, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Solson in Johnston avenue, following a lingering illness.

COMMUNITY DAY

To Be Observed By Franklin Township January 26.

Community day exercises have been arranged for Franklin township and an imposing program has been prepared for a meeting and teachers institute to be held at the Smock school building on January 26. One of the features of the day's meeting will be a spelling contest which is to be held in the afternoon. The program is arranged under the auspices of the Franklin township school district composed of John B. Prasher, president; Robert McBurney, secretary; E. B. Arnold, treasurer; Thomas Selter and James H. Pettigrew. Supervising Principal J. T. King and the teachers of the Smock school, Lewis M. Gallo-way and Helen Brook.

Among the speakers are R. K. Smith of Dawson, supervisor of the Dunbar township schools; John S. Carroll, superintendent of the Fayette county schools, and W. H. Martin, supervising principal of the Perry township schools.

ELITES PLAY TONIGHT

Fast Basketball Game Will Be Staged at Maceabae Hall.

The Elite club basketball team and the Garage five will play at the Maceabae Hall tonight in a city league game. The Elites are making their first appearance tonight and are reported to have a strong lineup ready for the motor boys.

The preliminary game will be played between the South Connellsville girls team and the Senior girls. The game next Friday evening will be between the Maceabae and the Elks.

Returns From Hospital.

Miss Jennie Hostetter, who underwent a serious operation in St. Joseph hospital, Pittsburg, has returned home. There is little improvement in her condition.

Willard Barnes Very Low.

The condition of Willard Barnes, who is ill at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. J. C. McDaniel in South Pittsburg street, is very critical.

Girl at Molnar Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Molnar of Leisenring No. 1, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Saturday.

"The Store Ahead"

THE DUNN STORE
The Store of Quality and Service
105-107 N. PITTSBURG ST., CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Butterick Patterns

\$14,000 Worth of Furs Must Be Sold

Mr. Charles Wechsler, a high class furrier of New York City, will be at this store January 22nd and 23rd with a complete line of furs in the newest styles.

The modern fur factory, like every other plant must, if properly managed, make the same cooperative stock readjustments at the end of a season's business as we do and this is the reason Mr. Wechsler will be here and sell you furs at great reductions.

Furs will not get lower in price, you certainly are well advised to take advantage of this exceptional opportunity to buy furs cheaply.

50 Fur Coats

Coats that are made in the foremost up-to-the-minute styles in the leading furs, such as Hudson Seal, Natural Muskrat, Baby Lamb and many other furs, trimmed in skunk, mink, fox and chinchilla and perfectly plain, to suit everybody's taste.

Fur Coats have been a good buy at any time these three years past and at this sale we think they will be even a better buy than in the past.



Selected Scarfs and Muffs

Exceptional Cut Prices

Hundreds of Scarfs and Muffs in the leading styles, will be showed at this sale. These can be bought in separate pieces or in match sets, and the grades are from the very cheapest to the very best or in other words to fit everybody's pocketbook.

These furs we guarantee to be the same reliable grades familiar to customers of our fur section.



TAX INQUIRIES SLOW

Deputy Income Collector Urges Prompt Action By Those Affected.

Income taxables of the Connellsville district are not falling over each other to get to pay their income tax. A statement from John T. Calhoun, deputy collector, whose headquarters are at the Federal building, indicate the inquiries for filing blanks have been slow coming in.

"Only six weeks remain," said Mr. Calhoun, "in which to file returns under the War Revenue Act of Congress, approved October 3, 1917. No blanks for returns will be mailed and taxables should lose no time in calling at the office of the Deputy Collector, Room No. 1, Federal building to secure blanks and file them."

"Although payment of the tax may be deferred until June 16, 1918, the Treasury Department is urging early payments to relieve the congestion usual to the concluding month of the fiscal year. It is desired that as many as possible make payment when filing returns at which time they will be allowed a 2 per cent discount."

"Penalty for failure to file returns or for filing a fraudulent return is from \$50 to \$1,000 and 50 per cent additional tax."

Electrician Missing.

W. B. Wiggins, an electrician of Uniontown, has not been seen nor heard from since leaving Point Marion on the evening of December 26, when he started across the Monongahela river to the plant of the Poland Coke company at the mouth of Dunkard creek on the Greene county side.

Card of Thanks.

J. J. Friel and children wish to thank all those who were so kind and assisted them during their recent bereavement, the death of their beloved wife and mother; especially do they thank those who sent beautiful floral tributes. J. J. Friel and Children.—Adv.

Flag Insulter Got 10 Years.

Paul Bosco, a Russian, formerly employed in Morgantown, has been convicted in the federal court and sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and serve 10 years in the federal prison for insulting the flag, and making seditious utterances.

False Alarm.

The fire department was called to Truener avenue about noon today, but on arriving they found no fire. People near by saw smoke coming out of a cellar but it was from a grate.

Killed Near Irwin.

Walker Rutter, formerly of Vance's mill, and aged 47 years, was run down by a train on the Pennsylvania railroad near Irwin yesterday and instantly killed.

Maceabae Initiation.

Great Lieutenant Commander Lawrence Sefton, of the Maceabae, will initiate a class of candidates in Youth Tent No. 159 Thursday evening, January 24.

Returns to Camp.

J. J. Cossell left last night for Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., after spending a furlough at his home at Adelaide.

A Beautiful Complexion For Only 30 Cents

"Keep on using expensive creams and washes and ointments if you want to," says Petermann. "It's none of my business how you squander your money, but if you really want to get rid of pimples, facial blemishes of any kind or any skin disease, my honest advice is to get a thirty cent box of Petermann's Ointment today."

Men and women: If you want a complexion clean and clear, soft and velvety, one that will compel the admiration of all the people you meet, start to use Petermann's Ointment to-night—use it freely, rubbing well into the skin. Continue for a week or until every pimple, blackhead, eruption or rash is gone.

Sold by A. A. Clarke.

Don't knock Connellsville by sending your money out of town for your job work when The Courier company can do it here at home. Let us give you prices.

Hotting Bargains? You will find them in our ad. columns.

to feel Fresh and Fit

—you must keep your stomach well, your liver active, the bowels regular, and your blood pure. Your physical condition depends on the health of these organs. When anything goes wrong

just take

a few doses of Beecham's Pills and avoid any serious illness. They are a fine corrective and tonic for the system, and a great help in maintaining good health. A single box will prove the remedial value of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

F. T. EVANS BOTH PHONES

WIDOW'S RIGHT

To Recover Under Compensation Act Involved in Livingston Case.

A case involving the right of a widow to recover under the Workmen's Compensation Act for the death of her husband was heard before Referee Thomas J. Dunn in the court house at Uniontown on Monday. The case developed from the death of Austin Livingston, a farmer of Franklin township, who was fatally injured while hauling gas well machinery for Abrams & Jones, drillers.

The widow filed a claim under the Workmen's Compensation Act, naming Abrams & Jones, who had given orders to Livingston to move the machinery, as defendants. Referee Dunn awarded the claim. The case was appealed by the insurance fund authorities to the Workmen's Compensation Board and the decision of the referee was reversed. Mrs. Livingston, now Mrs. Jordan, then appealed to the court of common pleas of Fayette county, and judgment was directed for the defendant.

A petition was later filed against Austin Livingston and on this the testimony was taken Monday afternoon. The action is being defended largely on the ground that Livingston and Jordan were partners in the transaction.

U. S. TO TAKE OVER "STATE"

College To Be Operated by Government As Intensive Training School.

The trustees of Pennsylvania State College have given approval to the government's plan to take over the institution with its entire equipment and teaching staff for the intensive training of 1,100 enlisted men preparatory to sending them to France. Arrangements were made to close the college in April, six weeks earlier than usual, so that the Army may begin its proposed work May 1.

Undergoes Operation.

Mrs. Clyde Poling, of Pittsburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hart of Crawford avenue, West Side, underwent an operation in the South Side hospital, Pittsburg. Mr. Hart was summoned to Pittsburg Saturday by his daughter's illness, returning some last night. When he left the hospital Mrs. Poling was getting along nicely.

Ask Judge to Resign.

The bar association of Monongalia county, West Virginia, at a meeting held yesterday adopted resolutions asking Judge George C. Sturgess of the circuit court to resign "for the good and welfare of the county." The action is a climax of a long standing disagreement between the court and the county commissioners.

Major McKee Returns.

Major R. S. McKee of the 110th Regiment Hospital Corps, who was home on a furlough, left last night for Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., where he is stationed. Mrs. McKee accompanied him to Washington, D. C.

Whooping Cough Reported.

A case of whooping cough was reported to the Board of Health this morning.



DAY'S EVENTS AT THE MILL TOWN ARE RELATED IN BRIEF

Saturday Afternoon Club Presents an Interesting Program.

LADIES SEW FOR THE ORPHANS

Aged Woman Falls on Ice and Breaks Her Arm; Farm Loan Association Chooses Scottsdale Officers; Other Items Gathered from the Place.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Jan. 22.—Mrs. N. E. Sisley entertained the ladies of the Saturday Afternoon Club at her Chestnut street home on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Howard M. Stoner was the leader. Roll Call was answered to by quotations from "The Jew in America." Mrs. S. C. Stevenson read a very interesting paper, "Passover As Served Today." Mrs. George W. Stoner read a paper on "Jews in Medical Science." Mrs. William M. William spoke on "Jews As Composers." Mrs. J. R. Smith read a paper on "Zangwill." Refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour spent.

Sewing For Orphans.
The ladies of the W. C. T. U. here are working on the petticoats to be made for the French war orphans. Women have taken them home and are inviting their friends in to help them sew. The petticoats are uniform, and are made of grey outing flannel, with a band and five buttonholes. They are in three sizes, six, eight and 10 years and are supposed to fit most of these orphans that have been gathered up.

Miss Rush to Sing.
Miss Helen Bell Rush of Dawson, will sing several solos at a dance that will be given here February 8 for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Arm Fractured.
Mrs. Mary Pisula, aged 87 years, while going home from St. Joseph's church, fell and fractured her left arm near the shoulder. Mrs. Pisula is seriously ill at her Emerson home. She has raised a family of 10 grown sons and three grown daughters and all of these but one son is dead.

Y. M. C. A. Open.
The Y. M. C. A. will continue to be open on Monday by order of the fuel administration so that the men may have some place to spend the day while they are off work on this day. Ladies' Day at the Y. M. C. A. has been changed to Wednesday for the 10 weeks during which there will be no work on Monday.

Conference at Republic.
At a meeting of the executive board of district No. 7 at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon it was decided to hold a conference next Sunday afternoon at Ruffsdale.

Farm Loan Association.
The Westmoreland County Farm Loan Association held its annual meeting in Greensburg and two of the officers came to Scottsdale for another year. The result of the election was as follows: President, C. B. Jamison, Blairsville; vice president, Charles R. Felgar, Scottsdale; secretary and treasurer, F. C. Wray, Scottsdale. Four new applications were received for loans amounting to about \$11,000.

Men's Meeting.
A meeting was held for men only at the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday afternoon and a very large audience heard Don Hindman, the evangelist, at that time.

Wanted.
Wanted.—We are in position to offer an exceptional opportunity to an industrious and ambitious man in a business located prominently in Scottsdale. Write application in your own hand writing stating whether or not you will be willing to spend 2 or 3 weeks away from home to learn fundamentals of the business. Give references and position held last. Address "Business," care Courier.—Adv.—17-1f

Personal.
Miss Pearl Thomas spent Sunday with Connelville friends.
Miss Susan Shirey has returned from Mount Pleasant, where she visited.

TERRIBLE SORES

Matter How Chronic. The Langhrey Drug Company Guarantees San Cura Ointment to Give Relief and Offer Permanent Care.

"My daughter was troubled for over a year with a fever sore on her leg, and was helpless in bed for three months. To the great surprise of all, including the four doctors who had attended her, San Cura Ointment healed the great sore in less than six weeks."—J. D. Hood, Townville, Pa.

Karl C. Banks, of the Atlantic Refining Co., of Pittsburgh, had a sore on his ankle for a year. He doctored, and tried various remedies, without relief. He says: "San Cura Ointment worked like a charm: reduced the swelling and healed the sore in two weeks."

Bear in mind, that besides sores, San Cura Ointment is used with great success on eczema, boils, carbuncles, salt rheum, tetter, also itching, bleeding and protruding piles. In cases of burns, scalds, cuts and bruises, San Cura is most valuable. The price is only 20 cents and 50c and \$1 a jar, and The Langhrey Drug Company, Connelville, and Broadway Drug Co., Scottsdale, who are agents in their respective towns, guarantee it.

COMPLEXION SOAP.
If you want a lovely complexion, with soft, velvety skin, free from pimples and blackheads, use San Cura Soap, the great antiseptic and skin purifier; 25c a cake at The Langhrey Drug Co., Connelville, and Broadway Drug Co., Scottsdale, who are agents in their respective towns.

If you can't get it at your druggist send to the Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.—Adv.

RARE TEAM WORK IN BEHALF OF AILING FOLKS

BEING DONE DAILY BY NERV-WORTH AND NERV-WORTH LAXATIVE TABLETS.

These two pull together with happy results for those whose nervous ills are mixed up with constipation and liver troubles. Nerv-Worth the liquid generally masters derangements of the liver and bowels, but in some cases these are too deep-rooted to surrender, and then the Tablets, taken in conjunction with the liquid, do wonderful work. They are especially valuable in cleaning the bowels for those whose habit of constipation do not readily yield to the laxative properties of Nerv-Worth the liquid. A bottle of Nerv-Worth and a 25c box of the tablets form a combination without equal in overcoming ills of the nerves, stomach, bowels and liver.

"The Connelville Drug Company sells Nerv-Worth. Your dollar back if this famous family tonic does not help you."
C. L. Kuhn sells Nerv-Worth at Mount Pleasant; C. M. Kuhn at Irwin; C. S. Daugherty at Jeannette; Broadway Drug Co. at Scottsdale; W. I. Lewis, South Brownsville.—Adv.

her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller spent Sunday in Mount Pleasant with the former's brother, L. Miller.

Mrs. Jeannette Parry and Miss Grace Shirey spent yesterday with Jeannette friends.

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS AT DUNBAR HELP FREELY IN K. OF C. WAR FUND

Employees of Pennsylvania Wire Glass, Mangano and Sonnet-Solvay Companies Subscribe Liberally.

In addition to the subscription of citizens of Dunbar generally to the Knights of Columbus War Fund, the employees of the Pennsylvania Wire Glass company subscribed \$92.50 as follows:

William Stevenson, \$5.00; Frank Therasse, \$5.00; Patsy Gusbarro, \$1.00; George Holden, \$1.00; Joseph Padovini, \$1.00; Tony Padovini, \$1.00; Frank Leonbruno, \$1.00; Italo Naticioni, \$1.00; John Dipalma, 50c; Joseph Coloris, \$1.00; Albert Comerest, \$1.00; James Lombardo, 50c; P. Nerone, 50c; Desse Gess, 50c; John Angelo, 50c; Alex Rososome, \$1.00; William Voskamp, \$1.00; Joseph Lamzi, 50c; John Lamzi, \$1.00; P. Fumari, \$1.00; Bert Mattuch, \$1.00; Joseph Cresone, \$1.00; Nick Farace, 50c; Mike Yamarelli, 50c; J. P. Grosschen, \$5.00; Michael McGivern, \$1.00; Andy Berdehl, \$1.00; A. Perrella, \$1.00; Charles Corrado, \$1.00; F. Cotich, \$1.00; Joseph Rich, \$1.00; R. Digname, \$1.00; Ralph Long, \$1.00; L. Disario, \$1.00; N. Bernard, \$1.00; C. F. Grosschen, \$1.00; Thomas Rich, \$1.00; Nick Morgan, \$1.00; James Sfero, \$1.00; A. Distarto, \$1.00; Howard Anderson, \$1.00; G. Talucci, \$1.00; D. Demy, \$1.00; P. Ciemnati, \$1.00; S. Bell, \$1.00; M. Pagano, \$1.00; J. B. Courtney, \$5.00; Matthew Balin, \$1.00; Wm. C. Jacobs, \$1.00; Geo. DeFrank, \$1.00; Corrodine Lavoere, \$1.00; Guy Dippell, \$1.00; Albert Lauch, \$1.00; Tripoli Carmello, \$1.00; Frank Barbera, \$1.00; Albert Wilhelm, \$1.00; Jack Caruso, \$1.00; Alex McConnell, 50c; Guy Martindal, \$1.00; Sam Long, \$1.00; Frank Antonia, \$1.00; Frank Tanone, 50c; Antonio Cinto, \$1.00; Wm. Paul, \$1.00; Robert Smiley, 50c; Philip Kelly, \$1.00; Frank Phate, \$1.00; Don Bastione, \$1.00; Jos. Farris, \$1.00; F. Speyer, \$1.00; P. Paul, \$1.00; J. Jack, \$1.00; Michael Kearney, \$1.00; John Doyle, \$1.00; Chas. Di Palma, \$1.00; Angelo Sfero, \$1.00; O. K. Barnes, \$1.00. Total \$89.50.

Employees of the Sonnet-Solvay, through James Bartlett, collector, subscribed \$51.50 as follows:

A. A. Hurst, \$1.00; R. C. Miller, \$1.00; R. A. Longwell, \$1.00; R. V. Smith, \$1.00; W. M. Miller, \$1.00; R. Julius, \$1.00; A. Galliffi, \$1.00; R. Menzie, \$1.00; P. Giuseppe, \$1.00; L. A. Trecker, \$1.00; T. A. Miller, \$1.00; N. DeNardisio, \$1.00; A. Reid, Jr., \$1.00; Henry Bryner, \$1.00; C. DeNardisio, \$1.00; D. Dancille, \$1.00; J. James, \$1.00; N. Teale, \$1.00; E. Ventillie, \$1.00; James McGraw, \$1.00; J. R. Smiley, \$1.00; T. Catenare, \$1.00; R. Denate, \$1.00; V. Maragno, C. Ranaldi, \$1.00; Jas. Caruso, \$1.00; L. Leona, \$1.00; S. Lowery, \$1.00; G. Silvester, \$1.00; R. White, \$1.00; S. Latanza, \$1.00; John Jelly, \$1.00; R. Lancia, \$1.00; L. Capito, \$1.00; G. Tannaglini, \$1.00; J. Nells, \$1.00; E. Latuoy, \$1.00; L. DeSanza, \$1.00; B. DeAnlevia, \$1.00; C. Marchi, \$1.00; P. Emilio, \$1.00; J. Stevenson, 50c; J. Mertogilli, 50c; A. Frano, 50c; J. Peto, 50c; R. Detoro, 50c; L. Blanco, 50c; L. Martazet, 50c; M. Capito, 50c; H. Maust, 50c; G. Panola, 50c; A. Laughrey, 50c; L. Greff, 50c; J. Pierco, 50c; C. Marchigne, 50c; P. Vendi, 50c; Thomas Grebarro, 50c; J. Driscoll, 50c; J. Parella, 50c; P. Lanches, 50c; A. Picant, 50c; J. Colangelo, 50c. Total \$51.50.

The contributions by the employees of the American Mangano company totaled \$379.15, including Lawrence Cuneo, \$10.00 and cash, \$10.85, the total subscription from all sources in Dunbar were \$536.70.

At Mount Braddock, William Ambrose, collector, secured subscriptions amounting to \$222.00.

Superintendent DeBrower, H. E. Sawyer, W. B. Sullivan, Lewis Paddock and J. E. Burns, the committee at Leisenring No. 3, collected \$135.85. J. P. Baine, collector at Rockwood, secured \$17.00 as follows: R. A. Kirkpatrick, \$10.00; J. P. Kelly, \$2.00; J. P. Baine, \$5.00.

New Year's Resolutions: "I will have all my printing done in Connelville this year." The Courier will be glad to quote prices to you. Address or call job department. Both phones

A price alone, in large figures, means nothing—but when you find an article which Aaron's sell for \$12.00—that elsewhere would cost \$15.00—then the matter of price means a great deal to you.

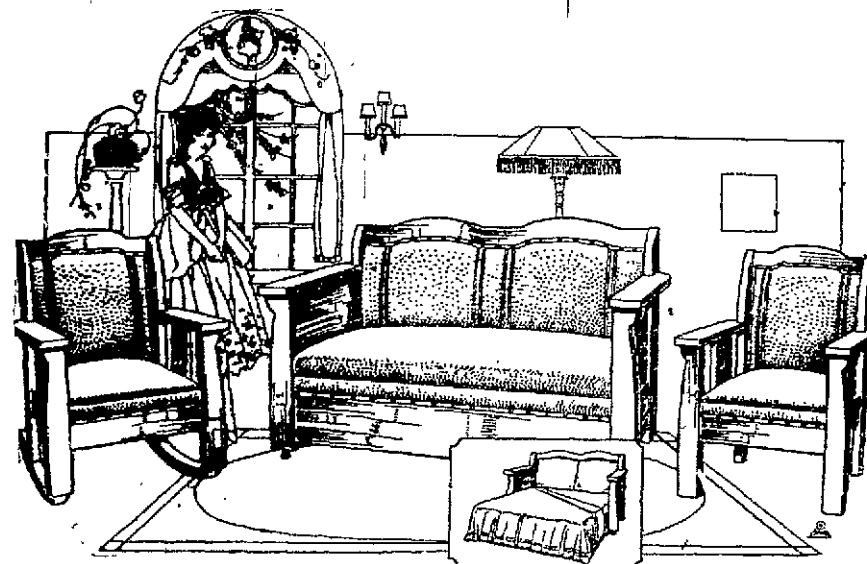
Therefore we urge you not to consider a price low just because it looks low in an advertisement. First of all examine the value and quality that you buy—because that's the most important part. You will find articles in our large assortment which may cost a little more than similar looking articles in other stores—but when it comes to value and quality there can be no comparison.

That's why, when the need of Homefurnishings arises you should go to the store whose merchandise has given complete satisfaction for 26 years—the store where you have the largest assortment to choose from—the store where the sales people are courteous and obliging—the store that is able to give you values that cannot be duplicated anywhere—the store whose modern charge account system makes the matter of payments easy—the store that gives a "satisfaction guarantee" with every purchase. GO TO AARON'S.

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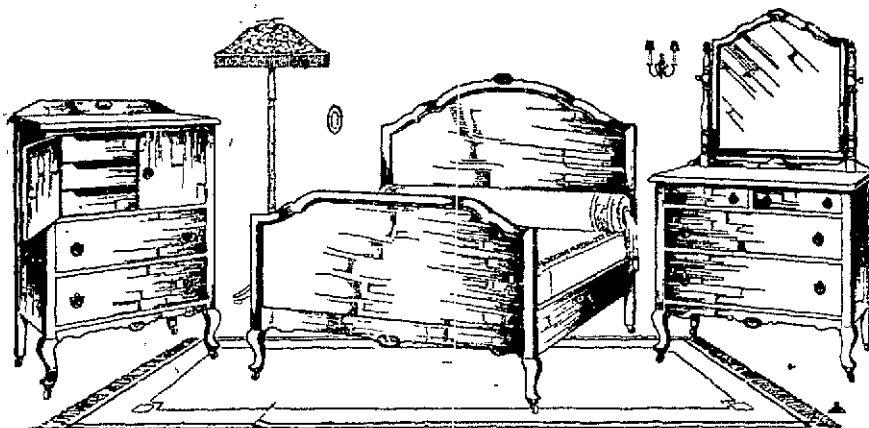
Three-Piece Oak Dufold Suite 58.50 Just as Pictured



Only Seasoned Oak is Used in Its Construction

This is a suite that was built to last a life-time—built of wood so fine and in such a conscientious manner that it cannot help but give complete satisfaction. The upholstery is not split leather, with a hard surface that cracks and peels. It is a leather substitute that is guaranteed to wear the life of the furniture.

Three Quaint, Sturdy Bedroom Pieces, Exactly as Pictured 99.00



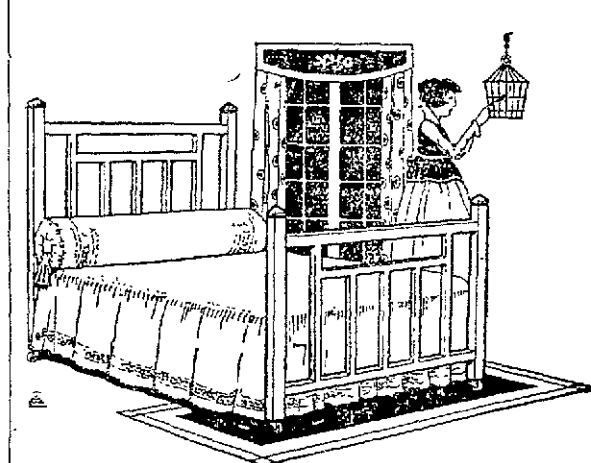
In the Favorite Queen Anne Design

Your Choice of Walnut or Mahogany

With all the characteristic full curves, the grace, fullness of the theme of this popular design, this bedroom suite will make your bedroom more beautiful than you have ever thought possible. The bed is a light one, yet rigid and strong in construction. The dresser, generous in proportions, is topped with a large crystal-like mirror. The chest, a new departure in furniture, has ample storage space for a great deal of apparel.

Either of which finishes are appropriate to bedroom furniture. The walnut finish, in a soft, grayish tan, with its wonderful graining shedding a glowing charm. Mahogany, deep, dark red, with just a suggestion of brown. With a fine grain that denotes great wearing qualities. It has always been one of the most preferred of all woods. All in all, this is a mighty pretty suite; one that will mingle a pleasure with the payment of the small weekly amount which buys it.

This Wood Bed in 3 Different Finishes 12.75

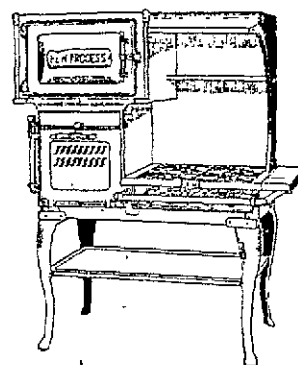


Choice of White Enamel, Mahogany and Walnut.

This is one of the most unusual offers in wood beds we have ever made. The beds are exactly as pictured, have all steel locks, reversible rails and are very well made.

We sell as we bought—and having contracted for them at a very special price, as we are able to offer them at a very special price. We are able to offer them to you at a figure which turns over to you the exact amount we saved in buying them. Come and see how beautiful they are in the different finishes—then order the one you like best sent up to your home.

The Famous New Process Gas Range



It's the most economical gas range built. No trouble at all to adjust the gas valves for the unequal pressure of gas. Will cook and bake better than any other gas range on the market and consumes less gas.

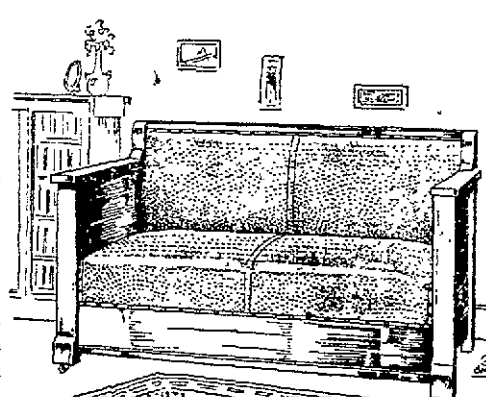
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Kroehler Bed Davenport \$29.50 and up.

Made with genuine quarter sawed oak frame, high grade imitation leather that cannot be detected from genuine leather. Separate springs and mattress. No advance in price—you reap the benefits of our early buying.

One of these substantially built Davenports will be a most welcome addition to every home. It's an investment that pays large dividends in the comforts and conveniences it offers.



Save butter, lard, suet. Have better food at less cost. Use

MAZOLA



Since Mazola is a vegetable oil it enables you to save butter, lard and suet in deep frying, sautéing, shortening as requested by Mr. Hoover.

And since it is pressed from golden American corn, you can be sure of its purity.

It is more economical than the old cooking mediums because it can be used over and over again—does not transmit taste or odor from one food to another.

Get Mazola from your grocer in pint, quart, half-gallon or gallon tins—the large sizes are the most economical. Also ask for the free Mazola Book of Recipes, or write us direct.

Your money refunded if Mazola does not give entire satisfaction.

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ORRINE FOR DRINK HABIT

Orrine has been uniformly successful in restoring victims of the "Drink Habit" into sober and useful citizens. If, after a trial, you get no benefit, your money will be refunded. It is a simple home treatment. No sanitarium expense. No loss of time.

Orrine No. 1, secret treatment; No. 2, voluntary treatment. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Ask for booklet, Connelville Drug Company.—Adv.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 22.—J. W. McCollough of Friendsville, Md., was a recent business visitor here.

Thomas Conaty, a marine on the U. S. Virginia, arrived here Saturday for a visit with his wife. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Conaty left for Lisbon, O., to visit the former's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reiber and daughter, Blanche, of Johnson Chapel, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Barnworth.

Sunday night was the coldest night of the winter here. Some report 25 degrees below zero, others report 29 degrees below zero. At Beachley on the W. C. Branch, 35 below was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rush of Connelville, are visiting friends here at present.

Mrs. Laura Gonn has returned to her home in Scottsdale, after a visit with her friend, Mrs. John Hawke.

Mrs. Sue Liston and Mrs. Charles McMillen have returned from a visit with friends at Connelville.

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TODAY

"OVER THERE"

—TOMORROW—

BLUEBIRD PRESENTS FRANKLYN FARNUM IN

"THE SCARLET CAR"

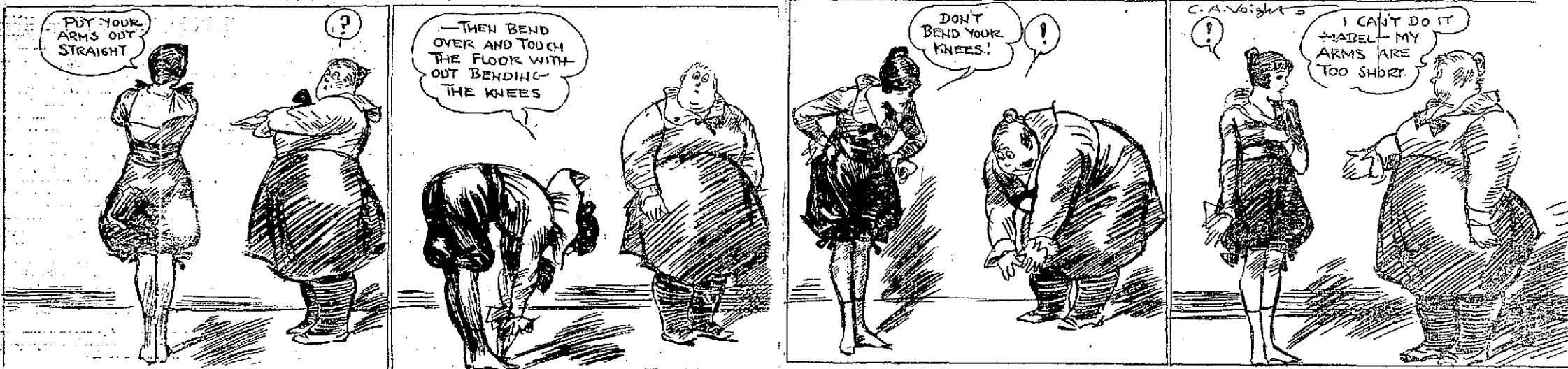
—ALSO—

"AMBROSE'S ICY LOVE"

L. No Comedy in 2 Acts.

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The COURIER WANT ADS
You Begin to Travel the Road
That Leads to Success.
One Cent a Word.

By C. A. VOIGHT



Frichton Vice President.
A. M. Frichton, general manager of the Tri-State Telephone company, was elected first vice president of the independent telephone companies of Western Pennsylvania and Ohio, and Daniel Sturgeon of Uniontown was elected a member of the executive committee at the annual meeting of the association held at the Fort Pitt hotel in Pittsburgh Saturday. It developed during the meeting that women are taking the places of the men in various lines of telephone work and Fayette county is no exception. Thousands of dollars in job printing leaving Connelville every month give us a chance to bid on it. The Courier company.
Patronize those who advertise.

LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Sixty-eight Are Filed by Hotelmen by Somerset County.

Sixty-eight applications for liquor licenses in Somerset county have been filed at Somerset. The list includes three new applications, those of Samuel Paschke, of West Salisbury, who was refused a license a year ago; Robert Henderson, of New Central City, and Harry W. Thomas of Calmbrook.

Among the other applicants are Charles H. Russell, J. F. Turney and Charles Marquart of Confluence; James W. Rush of Addison; Grant A. Tressler, George R. Logue, J. B. T. Jenkins, James J. Judge and Payton H. Ranner, Meyersdale; Clifford H. Springer, Somerset; J. W. Cromwell, Humbert; J. M. Leighty, Samuel S. Rickard and John G. Miller, Rockwood; and Nora A. Winters, H. W. Doyle, F. O. Feller and David A. Berry, Somerset.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN, Pa., Jan. 21.—A. C. Sherrard of Dunbar township was a business caller here yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. E. H. Husband and daughter, Miss Grace, were shopping in Connelville Saturday evening.

Mrs. Stairs and daughter, Mrs. Charles Colbert, are spending this week visiting relatives and friends at Kecksburg, Pa.

Miss Amanda Bell spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends at Monaca.

Miss Rosie Mazoezi spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends at Star Junction.

Mrs. Harry Cossel was shopping in Connelville Saturday morning.

Rev. M. A. Bann, of Dawson, was calling on friends here last evening. Sylvester Cable, of Scottsdale, was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Dies of Injuries.

Joseph Wheel of Grindstone, was fatally injured and Deputy Constable Fred Wright, of Brownsville, badly bruised, Sunday, when an automobile in which they were riding ran over an embankment near Brier Hill.

ONE-THIRD OF THE STATE'S DRAFTEES WERE CERTIFIED

Out of 302,541 Called By Local Boards 101,626 Were Found Fit.

40,000 MORE THAN QUOTA

Over 37,000 Having Enlisted Voluntarily; 114,288, or 86.6% of Men Called Claimed Exemption, 68,289 Being Aliens, 3,585 Farmers, 7,878 Workers.

One in every three men of draft age in Pennsylvania is physically fit, and otherwise qualified for service in the National Army. The actual ratio of men accepted to the total called in the first draft was 33.69 per cent. The ratio for the country was 34.30 per cent., so that Pennsylvania's average was about normal.

Of the 315,973 men registered in Pennsylvania the local boards called 302,541, and 101,626 were certified for military service.

Pennsylvania had a gross quota of 98,277 men and received credit for 37,349 voluntary enlistments, making the net quota 60,928. The boards certified 40,767 more men than needed to fill the first quota, and it cost the government an average of \$4.33 for each man, against an average for the nation of \$4.43. The total expense in the State was \$440,239.57.

Of the men called 25,626 failed to appear. Major General E. H. Crowder, the provost marshal general, has pointed out that all men who failed to appear could not be classed as slackers, as many enlisted without notifying the boards, others removed to other districts without notifying the original boards, and others died. He estimated that one-fifth of those who failed to appear were real slackers.

Pennsylvania's ratio of physical fitness was not up to the average for the country. Of 161,323 men examined 86,029 qualified, being 53.33 per cent, while that of the nation was 70.89 per cent.

Claims for exemption were filed by 121,963 of the 302,541 men called, which was below the national average of 39.6 per cent. Of these 288 were granted, this being 86.60 per cent. against a national average of 81.7 per cent. Of the men called in Pennsylvania 148,534 were married and only 17,154 married men were called for service.

Aliens called by exemption boards in Pennsylvania numbered 68,289, and 14,253 were accepted. The total registration of aliens in the state was 178,054. Of these 98,204 were of allied nations, 6,568 professed allegiance to neutral countries, 3,902 were enemy subjects and 63,280 were subjects of governments allied with Germany. This last covers those of Austria-Hungary, who were not "enemy aliens" at the time of registration.

Agricultural claims for exemption were entered by 3,585 men, and 2,548 were granted. Claims on industrial grounds were 7,878, and 4,835 were granted.

Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, Jan. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arison and baby daughter, of Cheat Haven, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Love, Oma French and W. A. Cosgrove motored to Scottsdale on Sunday afternoon.

J. B. Henderson was a business caller at Dickerson Run yesterday.

Miss Margaret Lytle, of Dunbar township, was a caller here Saturday. Clifford Zanner, of Adelaide, spent Saturday at the home of his brother, W. A. Zanner.

Miss Ardis Edwards and Mrs. Harry B. Reed were Connelville callers on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Michaels, of Greensburg, visited her sister, Mrs. Scott Osborne, of East Liberty on Saturday. W. A. Miller was a business caller in Connelville on Friday.

Mrs. George H. Kuhn and son, Elmer, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manst, of near Monaca.

Miss Mary Freed, W. A. Freed and son, Christian, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Freed of Dunbar township.

Mrs. Bret and daughters, of Uniontown, spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. O. W. Mosser.

Mrs. J. W. Gween visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Randolph, of East Liberty.

Miss Grace Workman spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Workman, of near Connelville.

The Union Farmers club, of Pay-

NO MORE CATARRH

A Guaranteed Treatment That Has Stood the Test of Time.

Catarrh cures come and catarrh cures go, but Hyomel continues to heal catarrh and abolish its disgusting symptoms whatever civilization exists. Every year the already enormous sales of this really scientific treatment for catarrh grow greater, and the present year should show all records broken.

If you breathe Hyomel daily as directed it will end your catarrh, or it won't cost you a cent.

If you have a hard rubber Hyomel inhaler somewhere around the house, get it out and start it at once to forever rid yourself of catarrh.

A. A. Clarke, or any other good druggist, will sell you a bottle of Hyomel (liquid), start to breathe it and notice how quickly it clears out the air passages and makes the entire head feel fine.

Hyomel used regularly will end catarrh, coughs, colds, bronchitis or asthma. A complete outfit, including a hard rubber pocket inhaler and bottle of Hyomel, costs but little. No stomach dosing; just breathe it. It kills the germs, soothes and heals the inflamed membrane.—Adv.

ette county met on Saturday, January 19th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reed, of Highland Farm. The program was carried out and at noon a dinner was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Downs, of near Leisenring.

Miss Phoebe Thorpe, of Perryopolis, is visiting her aunt, Miss Mary Freed.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Jan. 22.—Orean Daniels of Salisbury, and Miss Martha Shoemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shoemaker, of this place, went to Cumberland on Saturday where they were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. They returned here the same evening and after a short visit with the bride's parents they will go to Salisbury to reside, where the groom is employed and his home ready for his bride.

Mrs. Levi Deal gave a children's party on Friday afternoon in honor of her son Carl's seventh birthday. The hours were from 4 to 7 o'clock, and the time was very pleasantly spent in playing games and partaking of delicious refreshments.

Blain Sellers of Lewisstown, is here for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Kathryn Keidel of Mance, spent Saturday visiting and shopping in our city.

Miss Hazel Kimmell of Somerset, is a guest of her friend, Miss Mary June Wiland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Critchfield and their two children of Rockwood, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Critchfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sharrt.

Mrs. Kate Kroll of Buckhannon, W. Va., is visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiland.

Miss Theresa McMurrer has gone to Pittsburg to visit her sister, Mrs. Joseph Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rowe, of Casselman, spent Saturday and Sunday at Meyersdale.

M. J. Lysengood, who spent a week in Philadelphia and Scranton, returned home Saturday.

E. M. Beachey returned to his home in Brownsville on Saturday, after a few days' visit here with relatives and friends.

AGENTS WIL.

Local B. & O. Officials Are Temporarily Relieved.

Ray Shaw, Baltimore & Ohio ticket agent, is off duty on account of a severe cold. He is being relieved by Relief Agent Homer Whip.

E. W. Abbott, auditor on B. & O. trains Nos. 65 and 66 returned to work this morning after being off duty for the past week on account of illness.

Relief Agent W. S. Rafferty, who has been ill for the past two weeks, returned to work this morning.

Try our classified advertisements.

WARM YOUR FEET WITH MUSTARINE BIG BOX 25 CENTS

If your feet are cold this winter weather just one application of Mustarine will keep them nice and warm for days.

It's the surest and quickest pain killer ever discovered; it will draw out the inflammation from your sore, tired feet in one night—it takes the agony from chilblains and is the best thing to use on frost-bitten feet.

But that isn't all, it stops backache, headache, toothache, earache, and neuritis—many times in five minutes. It drives away the agony from rheumatism and gout, and overnight ends cold on chest, pleurisy, bronchitis and sore throat, and never blisters.

Be sure you get Mustarine in yellow box—its the original non-blistering substitute for grandmother's mustard plaster and is made of true, yellow mustard and not cheap substitutes.—Adv.

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use it regularly keeps the teeth clean and gums healthy—your dentist knows. Ask him

A DENTIST'S FORMULA

FORWARD TO VICTORY
Good business management, economic system and practical methods all work in unison for productivity and preparedness.

When thinking of a banking connection, remember that the Union National Bank will be pleased to welcome your account and afford you facilities well known for efficiency.

UNION NATIONAL BANK
CONNELLSVILLE, PA. (WESTING)

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Jan. 22.—Four per cent of the entire congregation of St. Joseph's church is in the great army of the United States and 50 per cent of the young men of the church are of the draft age. The following are the names on their service flag: Lieutenant Rodger Bowen, John Burns, Joseph Bricebeck, John Carothers, John Dannelly, Patrick Doyle, John Farney, Charles Francis, John Fitzpatrick, Peter Gouten, Thomas Gouten, Raymond Graf, Henry Heib, Joseph Kelly, Daniel Kelly, Joseph Kirk, Michael McCorn, John McMahon, Peter McMahon, Felix Murtha, William Muilen, Albert Stedman, Charles Skorgan and James Welsh. O this, Skorgan and James Welsh. O this, Skorgan and James Welsh. O this, Skorgan and James Welsh. O this, Skorgan and James Welsh.

Donation Day.

Yesterday was annual donation day at the Memorial hospital. During the afternoon and evening a large number of visitors were entertained at the hospital. Some very nice donations were received. A Victrola concert was given during the afternoon and evening.

Other Notes.

Edward Lamb, a well known carpenter of Depot street, underwent an operation for mastoids at the Memorial hospital yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Messmore Youngkins of South Connelville are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. R. C. Turns.

Mrs. Herman Hamel, matron at the county home, spent yesterday with friends here.

Consts Injured.

Miss Blanche Brock, Wendell Brock and Edwin Duff were injured in a coasting accident at Cowell's hill, between Smock and Perryopolis, Sunday.

Don't knock Connelville by sending your money out of town for your job work when The Courier company can do it here at home. Let us give you prices.

THE FOUNDATION OF ALL FORTUNES

The foundation of all fortunes starts with saving the first dollar—but if it were not for having bank accounts, many men who are rich today would now be poor.

Yes, an account with us, gives the depositor great encouragement to accumulate more money.

4% Interest Paid on Savings Accounts.

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WHEN YOU ENTERTAIN THE FOLKS—

Be Sure to Serve them with the Best—

CONNELLSVILLE SPECIAL BEER

The same good beer with the same good reputation it had years and years ago, when the grown-ups of today were kids.

It is all Quality. No expense is spared—in materials, labor or process—to make it the best you can buy.

Ask for the Pittsburgh Brewing Co.'s

CONNELLSVILLE SPECIAL BEER

AT ALL GOOD CAFES, HOTELS, CLUBS—
ORDER A CASE SENT HOME

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"If you really care, if I and the old Nord still mean anything to you, a few days or weeks, or even months of separation won't matter. An affection that can't survive six months is too fragile to go through life on. I don't want to jump the next train and follow me. I don't ask you to wire me, 'Come back, Bill.' Though I would come quick enough if you called me. I merely want you to think it over soberly and let your heart decide. You know where I stand, don't you, Hazel, dear? I haven't changed—not a bit—

out in a letter to him. But she could not quite bring herself to the point. Always behind Bill loomed the vast and dreary Northland, and she shrank from that.

On top of this, she began to suffer a queer upset of her physical condition. All her life she had been splendidly healthy; her body a perfect-working machine, afflicted with no weaknesses. Now odd spasmodic pains recurred without rhyme or reason in her head, her back, her limbs, striking her with sudden poignancy, disappearing as suddenly.

She was stretched on the lounge one afternoon wrestling nervously with a particularly acute attack, when Vesta Lorrimer was ushered in.

"You're almost a stranger," Hazel remarked, after the first greetings. "Your outing must have been pleasant, to hold you so long."

"It would have held me longer," Vesta returned. "If I didn't have to be in touch with my marker. I could live quite happily on my island eight

Thousands of other sufferers have felt the mighty healing power of this ointment, and all first-class druggists are selling and recommending it. Be prepared. Go today to Connelisville drug co., or any first-class druggist and for 25 cents get a package of Guin-gerole. If it fails to do all of the things we say it will, your money back.—adv

According to orders, in spite of their heart-rending prayers.

"In the hope that you, as the representative of a Christian state, will protest against this, I sign myself,

"A GERMAN SOLDIER AND CHRISTIAN."

The third letter, from the western front, shows the same horror of the system of which the writer was a witness.

HOMES
Is where you spend over
Why not make it con

half of your time.
venic t and bright?

Why not make it convenient and bright?



Corset Specials!

—One lot of Redfern and La Realta Corsets, regular \$4.00 and \$5.00 values Special at \$1.95.
—One other lot of Corsets that sell regularly at \$1.25 and \$1.50, Clearance Price 90c.

WRIGHT-METZLER CO

Infants' Wear

—One lot (hunchalia and Corduroy Coats, One Third Off.
—One lot Wool Caps One Fourth Off.
—One lot Coats and Capes Special at 90c.
—One lot Wappers, Clearance Price 60c.
—One lot Sackies Clearance Price 40c.

JANUARY CLEARANCE

The Premier Economy

Event of the Year Begins Wednesday Morning, January 23rd

JANUARY CLEARANCE ALL MILLINERY

—One lot Children's Hats 49c
\$1.00 to \$2.00 values
—One lot ladies' misses and children's hats, \$2 to \$3.50 values 95c
—One lot ladies' trimmed hats, values up to \$5.00 Clearance \$1.95
—Entire stock pattern hats, values up to \$2.00, choice for only \$4.95

INVOLVING THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF SEASONABLE AND WANTED GOODS AT SAVINGS THAT AMOUNT TO AS MUCH AS HALF

The Wright-Metzler January Clearance is always an event of first importance in the year's calendar of local merchandising. But coming right in the face of the greatest scarcity of good merchandise and the highest market prices this country has known for half a century the January Clearance of 1918 bids fair to eclipse all its predecessors, both in its usefulness to the buying public and as indicative of this store's growth and strength.

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S READY-TO-WEAR APPAREL, MILLINERY, PIECE GOODS, HOSIERY, SHOES, MEN'S CLOTHING AND OTHER ITEMS COMPRISING, AS A WHOLE, PRACTICALLY EVERYTHING THAT MAN, WOMAN OR CHILD WILL NEED FOR AT LEAST THE NEXT THREE MONTHS AND ALL AT SAVINGS THAT ARE ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE WHEN ONE CONSIDERS ALL CONDITIONS.

Promptly Wednesday morning the sale opens and prudent women will lose no time in selecting both their present and future needs.

JANUARY CLEARANCE Large and Small Rugs

—9x12 Pure Worsted Velvet Rugs, neat all over patterns in tan and blue Regular \$35.00 values Clearance Price \$16.00.
—9x12 Velvet Rugs \$49.75 values \$23.75.
—9x12 Axminster Rugs \$40.00 values \$21.50.
—9x12 Axminster Rugs \$35.00 values \$27.50.
—9x12 Axminster Rugs \$30.00 values \$21.50.
—9x12 Seamless Brussels Rugs \$25.00 values \$19.50.
—8x11 Seamless Brussels Rugs \$15 values \$13.50.
—27x34 in Rug Rugs \$1.25 values 90c.
—36x63 in Rug Rugs \$2.00 values \$1.10.
—30x30 in Rug Rugs Special at \$1.00.

Save ONE-THIRD to ONE-HALF on Suits, Dresses, Furs, Skirts and Waists

Street, Afternoon and Evening Dresses HALF OFF

Charming styles and shades, in serge, satin, georgette tulle and chiffon. Ladies and misses sizes.

\$10.00 Dresses	\$5.00	\$25.00 Dresses	\$12.50
\$15.00 Dresses	\$7.50	\$20.00 Dresses	\$10.00
\$10.75 Dresses	\$5.38	\$25.00 Dresses	\$12.50

One Lot Ladies' Coats in the Clearance at HALF OFF

In this lot are popular winter styles in plush, velvet, port pom bolivia, and broadcloth. Novelty and staple colors. Plenty to choose from in all sizes 16 to 46. \$10.00 to \$35.00 values now \$5.00 to \$17.50.

—One other lot Ladies' Fashionable Winter Coats to sell at One Third Off.
—Children's Coats, all sizes 2 to 14 years, HALF OFF.

Entire Stock Ladies' Waists Reduced for Clearance

Including both plain models for general wear and the smartest of dressy creations in crepe de chine and georgette. White flesh and novelty colors. All sizes.

1 Lot Waists HALF OFF

\$2.50 values	\$1.25	\$7.00 values	\$3.50
\$2.75 values	\$1.38	\$5.75 values	\$2.88
\$3.75 values	\$1.88	\$7.75 values	\$3.88

1 Lot Waists ONE-THIRD OFF

\$5.00 values	\$3.33	\$8.75 values	\$5.83
\$6.50 values	\$4.33	\$10.00 values	\$6.67
\$7.50 values	\$5.00		

One Lot Waists Special at 48c.

All Ladies' and Misses' Suits Reduced to HALF PRICE

Tailored, semi-tailored and dressy models—our entire stock—comprising all most desirable materials, trimmings and color.

\$18.75 Suits now	\$9.38	\$35.00 Suits now	\$17.50
\$25.00 Suits now	\$12.50	\$45.00 Suits now	\$22.50
\$20.75 Suits now	\$10.38	\$30.00 Suits now	\$15.00

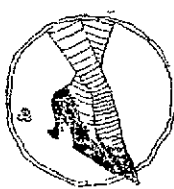
Children's Serge and Gingham Dresses Reduced as Follows:

\$1.25 Dresses	90c	\$3.50 Dresses	\$2.00
\$1.75 Dresses	\$1.10	\$4.00 Dresses	\$2.20
\$2.00 Dresses	\$1.20	\$7.50 Dresses	\$3.75

—One Lot Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats Half Off.
—One Lot Silk and Wool Skirts One Third Off.
—All Furs and Fur Coats Reduced One Third.

Savings of One-Third to One-Half On This Miscellaneous List

—One lot 48 to 56 inch fancy wool coatings, staple colors, \$1.50 to \$4.00 values One Third Off.
—One lot Fancy Silks, One Third Off.
—One lot Metal and Lace Trimmings, Half Off.
—One lot Soiled Neckwear, Half Off.
—One lot Auto Caps, Half Off.
—One lot Odd Jewelry, Half Off.
—One lot Wash Fabrics, Half Off.
—One lot 27 and 36 in Wash Fabrics, 25c to 10c values, 15c yard.
—One lot 32 inch Dress Gingham, 25c values, 15c yd.
—Damask Cloths, irregular weavings soiled, One Fourth to One Half Off.
—Soiled Stationery, Half Off.
—One lot Women's White Cape Gloves, \$2 to \$2.50 values, \$1.50.
—One lot Soiled Gloves, Half Off.
—One lot Soiled Handkerchiefs, Half Off.
—1917 R. S. Packages Half Off.
—Finished Models Art Needlework, Half Off.
—One lot Infants' Wool Mixed Bands, 19c.
—One lot Children's Unbleached Cotton Sleepers, 75c values, 39c.
—One small lot Soiled Blankets, Fourth Off.
—Women's Bleached Cotton Union Suits, sizes 36 to 44, Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, regular sizes special at \$1.00. Extra sizes, special at \$1.25.



January Clearance Ladies' and Children's

HOSIERY

Without doubt this is one of the feature offerings of this entire sale and will be quickly recognized as such by all women in touch with the hosiery market. Buy now for present and future needs.

—Women's 25c Cotton Hose, choice of black and white the pair	25c	—Boys' Black Stockings sizes 6 to 10 1/2 excellent quality very special at	25c
—Women's 50c Lisle Rose, choice of black and white, the pair	35c	—200 pairs women's plain and fancy silk hose in most any good color and many laces. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10 Regular at \$1.35 to \$2.50 the pair Clearance Price	\$1.10
—Women's 75c Fibre Silk Hose, choice of black and white the pair	59c	No exchanges or refunds on hose in this lot	
—Boys' and Misses' black Hose, fine and medium ribbed sizes 6 to 8 only. Once these are sold no more. Special at 18c the pair Three pairs for	50c	—Boys' and girls' 1 1/2 black Cotton Hose in all sizes 6 to 10 1/2. Actual value today 45c pair	35c

Four-fold Germantown Yarn in Hanks, most all colors, worth 48c skein, now 29c

Extraordinary Savings on Curtains and Shades

Panel Curtains!

—Net and Marguerite Curtains Panel in choice of white and amber \$1.00 values \$2.75; \$4.50 values \$2.25; \$6.00 values \$4.25; \$8.00 values \$4.00.

Sample Curtains!

—A few Curtains Samples which many women will find very useful for Wash Curtains. While they last 25c each.

Madras Curtains!

—100 pairs of Cream Color Madras Curtains of dependable quality and full 24 yards long. Regular at \$2.00 the pair. Clearance Price \$1.45.

Odd Curtains!

—There are quite a number of these odd pairs of Curtains including lace net and Marguerite. Regular at \$1.00 to \$5.00. Clearance Price 50c to \$2.50.

Window Shades!

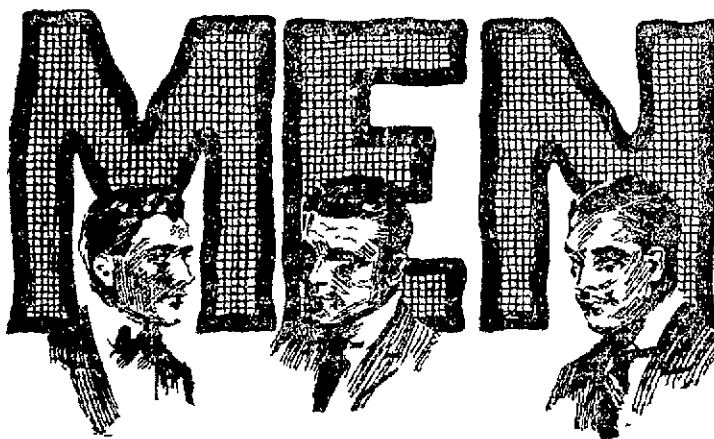
—Good quality shades 6 feet long and 36 inches wide in choice of dark green, light green and tan. Come to with others in this store to hang. Regular 30c values. Clearance Price 20c each.

335 Men's Suits at Following Reductions

\$30 Suits	-	\$22.50	\$22.50 Suits	-	\$16.50
\$25 Suits	-	\$18.50	\$20 Suits	-	\$14.75
\$15 Suits	-	\$10.75			

These Suits are all taken from our regular stocks. They come in all sizes 33 to 48 and a variety of different models for men and young men. Stouts slims and stubs in addition to regular sizes. Made from all wool materials well tailored and in a good selection of patterns and colors.

—A Special Blue Serge Suit, worth \$20 for \$15
—A Man's Raincoat of good quality, special \$4.95
—Heatless Trousers Pressers, \$1.00 value, 65c
—Good Collection of Caps, blues and fancies, 25c



Boys' Share of Clothing Clearance

—All Boys' School Overcoats Reduced One Fourth. These include a good variety of smart little models and desirable colors. Formerly sold up to \$13.50.
—One Lot Children's Fancy Suits that formerly sold to \$6.50, now \$3.95. These are made of trustworthy all wool materials and come in all sizes 2 1/2 to 8 years.

Overcoats That Sold Up to \$25 Now \$13.50

—A final cleanup of a certain very special lot of Men's Overcoats that formerly sold at \$17.50 \$20 and \$25. Good all wool materials for the most part light in color. Practically all sizes in the lot. A fine bargain for the man who needs a coat for tough wear.

—Other Overcoats that sold up to \$35 at a 20 per cent Reduction.

—All Fur-lined and fur trimmed Overcoats Reduced ONE FOURTH.

—A Special Table of Soft and Stiff Hats that formerly sold up to \$3.50, choice 50c.

—Black Plush Caps, golf style, with inside pull-downs, very warm, 75c values, 50c.

—Boys' Wash Suits, white and fancy, 2 1/2 to 8 years, \$1.50 values, Special at \$1.15